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Hello Angela,

I hope you are doing well. As a follow up to our meeting I have divided the comments based on their pertinence to the treated seeds. The majority focus on the harm neonics can have on insects but do not really address the policy question at hand: Does the treated article exemption apply to treated seeds? The comments that address that policy question are below and attached:

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The other focuses are on how seed treatments contribute to the overall use of neonics, the danger to birds, and the pesticide sloughing off into the environment. If you would like the labels from these other subsections I can send them your way as well but I thought I would spare you for now. If you have any questions please let me know.

Thank you,
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